

The Federal Communications Commission must protect our nation's free speech. The FCC must retain, largely intact, the National Broadcast Ownership Cap, the Dual Network Rule, the Newspaper/Broadcast Cross-Ownership Rule, and Local Radio and Television Ownership Limits.

As a free speech conservative I believe that in our democracy, broadcast media and newspaper ownership matters. I believe a free press—including broadcast media—is a precondition of a free society. The Federal Communications Commission must retain the rules in place needed to promote "the widest possible dissemination of information from a multiplicity of diverse, independent and sometimes antagonistic sources".

A diversity of media is critical to ensuring a variety of sources of independent viewpoints, freedom of speech and our cherished American way of life.